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In re Application of:

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STACKED MICROVOIDED LIGHT  
DIFFUSER

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In response to the Final Rejection mailed March 16, 2004, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.